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Mary L. Cottrell, Secretary  
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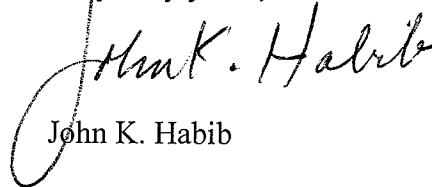
Re: Commonwealth Electric Company, D.T.E. 06-19

Dear Ms. Cottrell:

Please find attached on behalf of Commonwealth Electric Company, d/b/a NSTAR Electric (the "Company") responses to information requests asked by the Department of Telecommunications and Energy, as listed on the following page.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Please contact me if you have any questions about the filing.

Very truly yours,



John K. Habib

Enclosures

cc: Jody Stiefel, Hearing Officer  
Joseph Rogers, Assistant Attorney General  
Ron LeComte, Director, Electric Power Division  
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**INFORMATION REQUEST RESPONSES ATTACHED**

DTE-1-3

Information Request DTE-1-3

Last year the Company provided information to a series of information requests, that information was then compiled by DTE staff in the attached electronic EXCEL spreadsheet. With reference to the attached electronic EXCEL spreadsheet (called "DTE 1-3 data file.xls"), please perform the following items 1 through 17 and return an updated electronic EXCEL spreadsheet. If necessary expand the spreadsheet to include new circuits. Note is it not expected that data modifications will occur for prior years, however, if modifications are necessary please highlight each and provide appropriate explanations.

- 1) Column G, fill in with substation transformer identifier.
- 2) Column H, update if circuit voltage has changed in 2005.
- 3) Column K, fill in appropriate breaker number.
- 4) Column L, if appropriate, reflect a note if a circuit is new, reconfigured or retired during 2005.
- 5) Column N, update device type/name.
- 6) Column O, identify the level of automation associated with the devices in the previous column.
- 7) Column U, update with average customers served information for 2005.
- 8) Column W, through AA, update with circuit peak load in MVA.
- 9) Column AB, update with circuit normal MVA rating for 2005.
- 10) Column AC, update with peak normal rating percentage for 2005.
- 11) Column AI, update with customer outage hours for 2005.
- 12) Column AY, update with number of customers interrupted for 2005.
- 13) Column BE, update with number of interruptions for 2005.
- 14) Column BU, update with SAIDI information for 2005.
- 15) Column BZ, update with SAIDI information for 2004-2005.
- 16) Column CM, update with SAIFI information for 2005.
- 17) Column CZ, update with SAIFI information for 2004-2005.

Response

Please see Attachment DTE-1-3 [COM] **CD-ROM**. The Company will endeavor to continue to gather the remaining information requested by the Department and supplement this response as soon as possible.